

## **MEDIA RELEASE**

## DIG INTO MAGIC WITH SHAWN MCMASTER AT THE LIBRARY! Free Magic Shows for Families

Santa Barbara, CA - June 10, 2013

The Santa Barbara Public Library System presents Shawn McMaster, a spellbinding magician whose shows are laced with humor. No magic words or cheesy-looking props -- instead, magician McMaster offers a high-energy, interactive show filled with astonishment and hilarity for the whole family. This special event of the *Dig Into Reading* Summer Reading Program will be presented at all branches of the Santa Barbara Public Library System, and is best for children ages 5 and up.

The Santa Barbara Public Library System invites families and children to special *free* performances by magician Shawn McMaster on the following dates:

- Tuesday, June 18 at Central Library, 2:30 p.m. (40 E. Anapamu St., Santa Barbara)
- Tuesday, June 18 at Goleta Library, 7:00 p.m. (500 N. Fairview Ave., Goleta)
- Wednesday, June 19 at Eastside Library, 10:30 a.m. (1102 E. Montecito St., SB)
- Wednesday, June 19 at Solvang Library, 6:00 p.m. (1745 Mission Dr., Solvang)
- Thursday, June 20 at Carpinteria Library, 10:30 a.m. (5141 Carpinteria Ave., Carpinteria)
- Thursday, June 20 at Montecito Library, 4:00 p.m. (1469 E. Valley Rd., Montecito)

These performances are part of the annual **free** Summer Reading Program for children and teens. Students are encouraged to visit the library, read books, and earn prizes. Sign-ups for the Summer Reading Program start June 11, and the program runs to July 31.

This program is supported by the Friends of the Libraries, non-profit volunteer organizations that financially support library programs and services. For more information, contact the Santa Barbara Central Library's Youth Services Desk at 805-564-5603, or your local branch. Visit the library system's website <a href="SBPLibrary.org">SBPLibrary.org</a> to find out about this and other programs at the Santa Barbara Public Libraries. All library programs are **FREE** and open to the public.

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